Welcome to Verpol!

A Calcium Carbonate Processing Facility

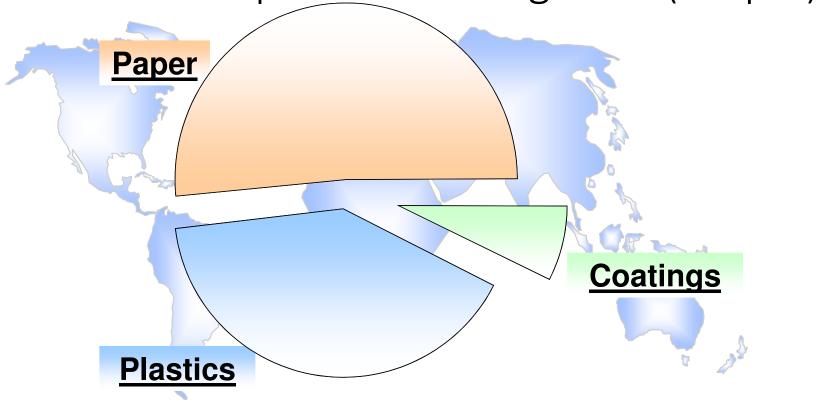
Verpol Plant

Omya Inc. – Region Americas

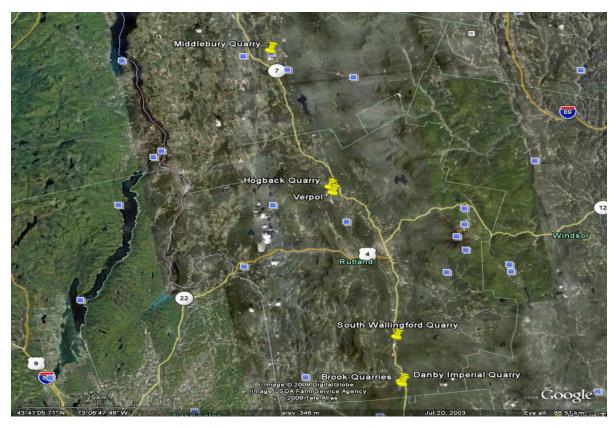


- Founded 1884; Switzerland
 Over 180 plants worldwide and
 ± 7,000 employees
- Built Vermont Facility in 1978
- Processor of industrial minerals; calcium carbonate
- Markets: Paper, Plastics, Paints, Food, Pharmaceutical
- 1000+ direct employees in Region Americas
- 20 Operations in 9 Countries
- 9 U.S. States VT, PA, KY, TN, AL, AZ, CA, MI
- VT 140 employees and 200 contractors

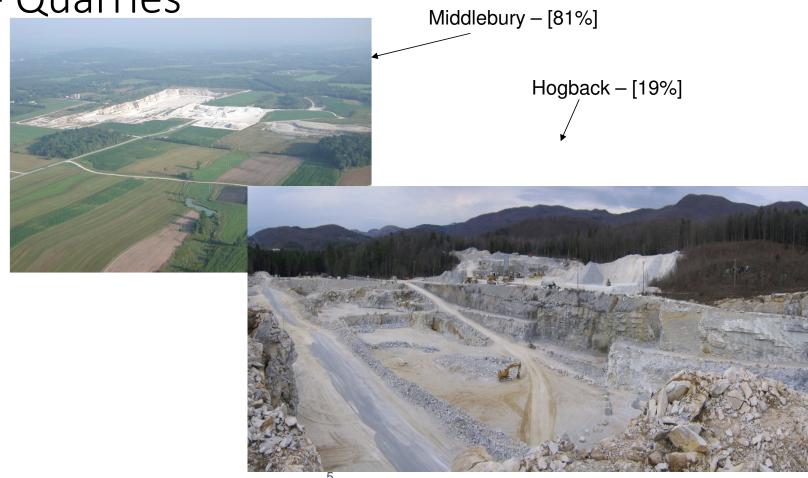
Sales – Volumes per Market Segment (Verpol)



Omya Marble Quarries



USFL - Quarries



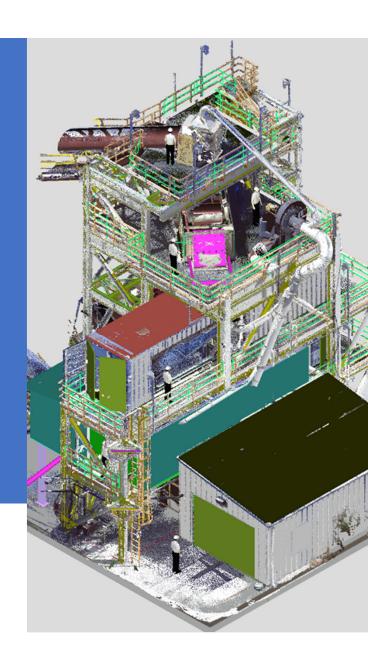
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Customer Credit Program and Energy Efficient Projects

February 1st, 2018





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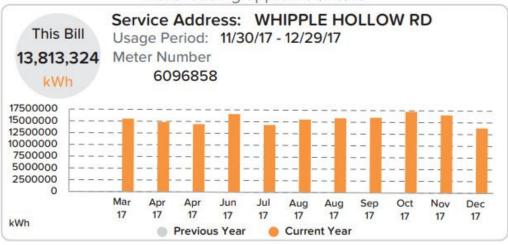
- 1. Energy Usage Summary
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Omya Energy Usage

- 2nd largest energy consumer
- Average peak demand 26MW
- Average energy consumption 16,000,000 KWH/month
- Participant of Solar Net Metering Program
 (10 500MW Solar facilities)
- LNG storage use onsite and in Casella fleet (switch from diesel)



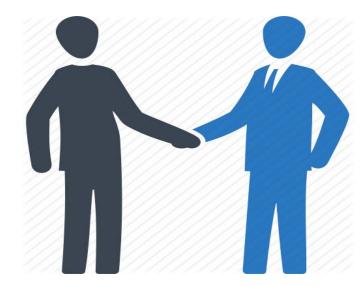




Overview of CCP and Omya experience

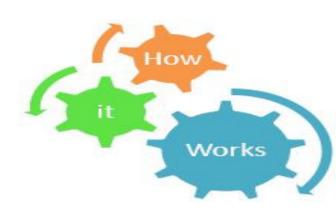


- Participated in Customer Credit Program since 2012
- Program Design: Market-driven, Retrofit projects and Third-party audits
- Credit Net Pay Option & Net Pay Option
- 2years ← Available Funds → Current Calendar year
 (3 year Cycle)





Overview of CCP and Omya experience



- Energy Efficiency Charge (EEC)
- \$1.5 million =8.6% ElectricityBill
- Omya → 89.1%

- Project proposal
- EVT approval per assumptions
- Project Implementation
- Initial Omya investment
- Project Report
- Energy Efficiency Case
- Rebates if approved

PROJECT LIFE CYCLE

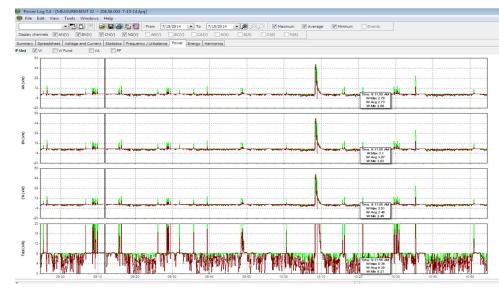
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6 Months 12 Months



Omya Energy Efficiency Project Examples

- Lighting retrofit (LED) project 2012,2013 & 2014
 - \triangleright Cost = \$2.525M
 - Rebate = \$2.209M
 - ➤ Net Cost = \$ 316K
 - Annual Energy Savings = 2,765,665 KWH = \$257K
- Tank 24-26 Variable Speed Drives, 2015
 - > Cost = \$51K
 - Rebate = \$46K
 - \triangleright Net Cost = \$5K
 - Annual Energy Savings = 376,607 KWH = \$5K
- PX7000E Rebuild, 2017
 - > Cost = \$217K
 - Rebate = \$144K
 - ➤ Net Cost = \$73K
 - Annual Energy Savings = 783,032 KWH = \$73K
- Metering project 2017,2018
 - Cost Estimate = \$800K
 - Annual Energy Savings = N/A





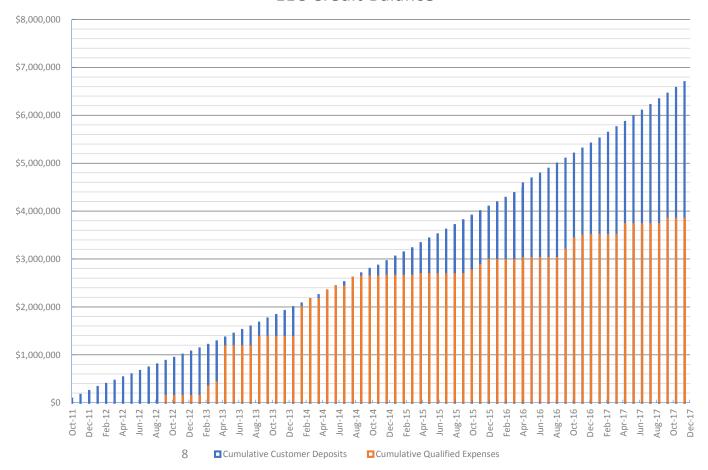
Our Progress and Challenges

Year	Number of Projects	Cost	Rebate	Net Cost to Omya	Annual KWH Savings	Equiv Annual \$\$\$ Savings
2012	1	\$226,630	\$144,667	\$81,963	929,290	\$78,060
2013	4	\$1,542,532	\$1,232,747	\$309,785	2,572,229	\$248,358
2014	1	\$1,360,931	\$1,263,658	\$97,273	1,066,276	\$99,164
2015	7	\$499,003	\$340,632	\$158,370	1,767,644	\$160,679
2016	6	\$533,500	\$516,618	\$16,881	6,287,587	\$571,542
2017	6	\$3,270,944	\$2,745,187	\$525,757	15,455,179	\$1,433,723
Total	25	\$7,433,539	\$6,243,510	\$1,190,030	28,078,205.06	\$2,591,526

Our Progress and Challenges

- Significant Omya \$\$ Investment
- Significant Omya Human Resource Investment
- Program Maturity

EEC Credit Balance



Our Proposal

- Modify current statutory language for Omya to qualify for SMEEP because:
 - Increases scope of eligible project beyond electric efficiency to all types of energy or fuels
 - Greater flexibility in project implementation timing
 - Set appropriate level of required funding
 - Allows for more efficient management of funds
 - Support Act 77 Report Pilot Program creation for the same reasons



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Thanks!

